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RECORDING MEDIUM, DATA
RECORDING AND REPRODUCING
DEVICE, AND SYSTEM FOR COLLECTING
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 23, 2003, please amend the above-referenced U.S.
patent application as follows: